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Interview Summary

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

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Date of Interview: 07 October 2008.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: Independent claims 1 and 25.

Identification of prior art discussed: USP 6,690,996.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Both parties agreed that proposed claim amendments (submitted on October 6th) overcome the prior art of record in the case, however, it should be noted that further consideration and search must be performed by the examiner, since the proposed amendment would be an After Final Amendment.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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